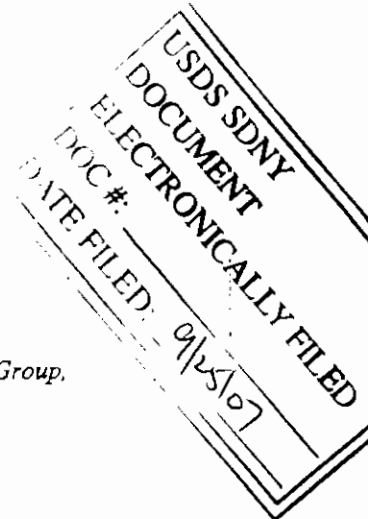


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 ROBERT L. GELTZER, as Chapter 7  
 Trustee of HOWARD P. EFFRON,

Plaintiff,

v.

UTIX GROUP, INC.,

Defendant.

(LJS)  
 Index No. 07-02472 (PCB)

Adversary Proc. No. 07-01292 (PCB)

STIPULATION AND ORDER  
 WITHDRAWING THE  
 BANKRUPTCY REFERENCE  
PURSUANT TO 28 USC § 157 (D)

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 WHEREAS, Robert L. Geltzer is a Chapter 7 Trustee of Howard P. Effron

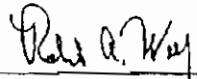
("Trustee") in the Chapter 7 bankruptcy case captioned In re: Howard P. Effron (Index No. 05-46742 (PCB)) pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Case"), and commenced an adversary proceeding in the Bankruptcy Case against Defendant Utix Group, Inc. ("Utix") under Adversary Proceeding No. 07-01292 (PCB)(the "Adversary Proceeding"). Utix then filed and served a Motion To Withdraw The Bankruptcy Reference with respect to the Adversary Proceeding pursuant to 28 USC § 157(D) ("Motion"). Trustee has no opposition to this Motion.

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and among the Trustee and Utix, that the Trustee consents to the granting of the Motion. Upon the so ordering of this Stipulation by this Court, the Motion shall be granted and the reference of the Adversary

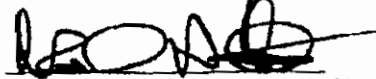
Proceeding to the Bankruptcy Court shall be deemed withdrawn and all further proceedings in the Adversary Proceeding shall be conducted before this Court.

Dated: New York, New York  
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SO ORDERED:

  
~~HON. KENNETH M. KARAS~~ Richard Sullivan  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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